

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	Examiner: Henry M. Johnson, III
Inventors: D. Swanson <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit: 3739
App. No.: <b>10/784,316</b>	Docket No. 03-0285 (US01)
Filing Date: February 19, 2004	Confirmation No. 2158
Title: COOLED PROBES AND APPARATUS FOR MAINTAINING CONTACT BETWEEN COOLED PROBES AND TISSUE	

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2007, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.